Map Milwaukee

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Scheduled Downtime

Map Milwaukee services and applications will be unavailable on **Friday, June 27, at 1 pm**, for approximately one hour, for routine maintenance.

Newsletter Archives

An archive of old Map Milwaukee Newsletters and Tip Sheets can be for on the News and Tip Sheets page in the Map Milwaukee Portal.

GIS Services

In addition to map applications, we also make the map services that feed our applications available to internet users. Check out the Services page in the Map Milwaukee Portal for documentation and help using GIS services.

E-Notify

Receive this newsletter, along with other e-mail announcements about Map Milwaukee by signing up for the City of Milwaukee's E-Notify service.

1. Sign in or create an account: http://city.milwaukee.gov/enotify
2. Once logged in, select "**E-Notify**" from the options at the top of the Your Profile page.
3. Select the category(s) for which you would like to receive e-mails. **Map Milwaukee News** is listed under **Information Updates**.
4. Click "**Update Notification**" at the top or bottom of the page.
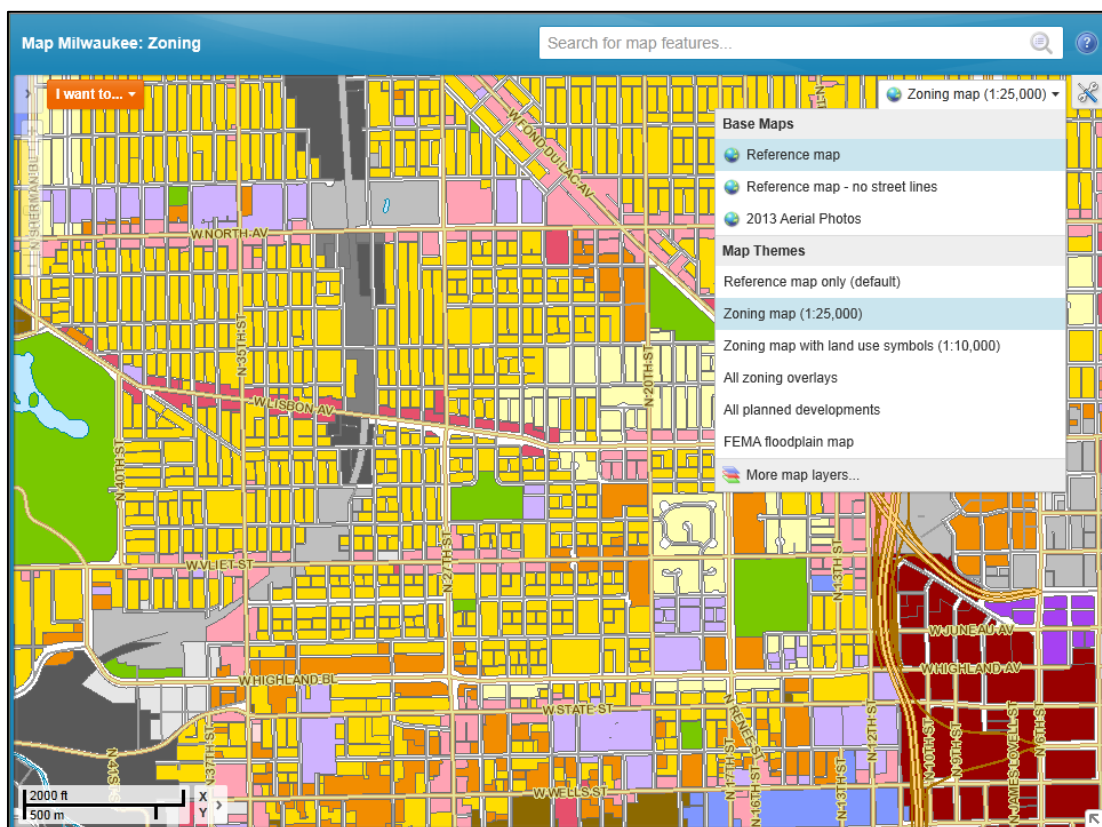
June News

This month we bring you a new map application, a couple new map services, and make our first announcement about layers being removed from "Old" Map Milwaukee.

Map Milwaukee Applications

This month we have launched a new application – ***Map Milwaukee: Zoning***. This application has all the same functionality as the other Map Milwaukee applications, but comes with the zoning, zoning overlay, and planned development maps automatically available.

For more information about the City of Milwaukee's zoning process and procedures, refer to the Department of City Development's web page: Zoning Applications and Procedures.
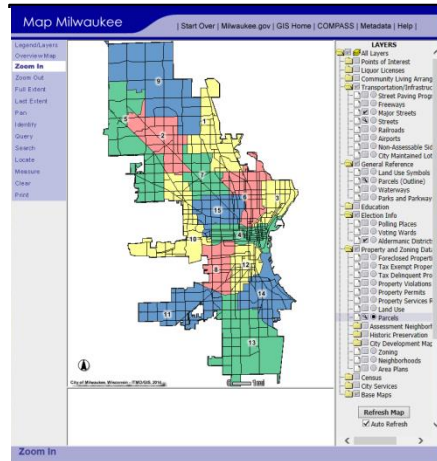

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"Old" Map Milwaukee – Layers Scheduled for Removal

Now that the Map Milwaukee Portal, the new applications, and services have been around and growing for over a year, it's time to start the process of removing layers from "Old" Map Milwaukee in an effort to eventually retire this old software completely.

The following layers will be removed from "Old" Map Milwaukee the week of July 14:

- Zoning
- Area plans
- Business improvement districts (BIDs)
- Targeted investment neighborhoods (TINs)
- Tax incremental districts (TIDs)

We encourage you to start using the new Map Milwaukee applications in place of "Old" Map Milwaukee as soon as possible. Here is a list of resources to help you make the transition:

- The basics of using new Map Milwaukee applications can be found in the September, 2013 newsletter.
- Information on the Map Layers panel (turn maps on and off, see the legend) can be found in the October, 2013 newsletter.
- We have created a Tip Sheet on adding maps as layers to any of the new Map Milwaukee applications.
- The zoning map can be found in the *Map Milwaukee: Zoning* application, or added to any new Map Milwaukee application as a layer.
- Area plans, BIDs, TINs, and TIDs can all be added to any new Map Milwaukee application by adding the Special_Districts service as a layer (see Tip Sheet for help).

> **Be sure to bookmark/favorite the Map Milwaukee Portal for quick access to all of our applications and keep current with new information.**

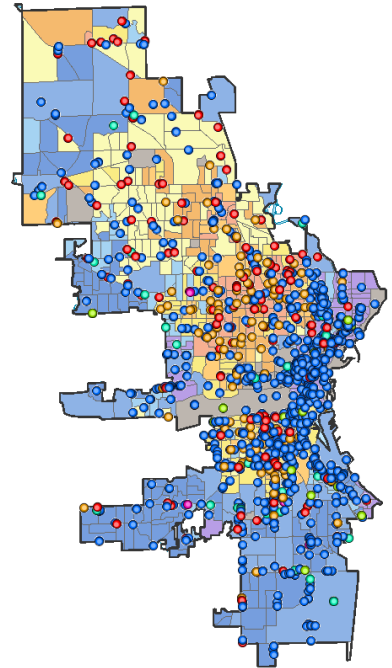## New Map Services

This month we have published a couple new map services (details below). Be sure to check out the GIS Web Services page on the Map Milwaukee Portal for current information, documentation and how-to guides.

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REST endpoint

- The license map service contains maps of licenses issued by the City of Milwaukee. At this point in time, these maps are limited to alcohol licenses. Details about licensing can be found at the City of Milwaukee, City Clerk, License Division.

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- The Milwaukee Market Value Analysis (MVA) compares residential market conditions between neighborhoods within the City of Milwaukee. The MVA analyzes the values of specific variables across all residential markets within the city and, based upon the analysis, defines market types that allow different neighborhoods in the city to be compared against each other on the basis of market strength or weakness. It is important to note that the Milwaukee MVA compares Milwaukee neighborhoods to other Milwaukee neighborhoods only, and should not be used to compare market conditions between Milwaukee and other cities.
- The MVA is designed to assist organizations and City government to identify and comprehend the various elements of local housing markets. It is based entirely on local administrative data sources. By using the MVA, stakeholders can craft intervention strategies that are more appropriately targeted to a neighborhood's relative housing market strength or weakness.
- The MVA was conducted by The Reinvestment Fund. For more information about how TRF conducted this analysis, refer to TRF's data directory: http://www.policymap.com/our-data-directory.html#mva_9907105